

TOWN OF FOREST HEIGHTS
RESOLUTION 64-17

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF FOREST
HEIGHTS, MARYLAND TO PROMOTE CORPORAL BRANDON GUNTER AS A
STAFF SERGEANT WITH THE FOREST HEIGHTS POLICE DEPARTMENT**

Introduced By: Mayor Habeeb-Ullah Muhammad

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 33-66 of the Charter of the Town of Forest Heights (the "Charter") the Council shall hire employee and;

WHEREAS, the Council finds that Brandon Gunter has shown that he has the necessary experience and knowledge to serve as a Staff Sergeant in the Police Department and it is in the best interest of the Town to promote Corporal Gunter; and

WHEREAS, Corporal Brandon Gunter, has served in the capacity as police officer since December 23, 2013, he will serve as Staff Sergeant at a salary of \$46,000 on a full-time basis and will continue to receive his benefits;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 7.90 of the Employee Handbook each new or promoted employee shall be notified of his or her probationary status, and unless other law, regulation or valid contract states otherwise (as in the case of existing merit employees), and at the end of 360 days and satisfactory evaluation by the Supervisor, Police Chief and Mayor. Should the performance evaluation be unsatisfactory, the Police Chief and Mayor may extend the probation period for an additional 360 days; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Council hereby authorizes Mayor to promote Corporal Brandon Gunter as Staff Sergeant; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that said officer's salary shall continue to be paid from line item 7060 Salary – Corporal (2) of the FY2018 budget

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

PASSED this 5th day of September, 2017.

APPROVED: By Resolution of the Town Council of The Town of Forest Heights, Maryland

ROLL CALL VOTE

YEA/NAY/ABSTAIN/ABSENT

MUHAMMAD

yes

KENNEDY II

yes

MCLAURIN

ABSENT

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BARNES

yes

HINES

yes

SMITH-BARNES

yes

BROWNSON

no

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above Resolution No. 64-17 was passed by the required yea and nay vote of the Mayor and Council of Forest Heights on the 5th day of September, 2017.

ATTEST:

THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE
TOWN OF FOREST HEIGHTS

SIGNATURE ON FILE

Sherletta B. Hawkins, Town Clerk

SIGNATURE ON FILE

By: Habeeb-Ullah Muhammad (Seal)
Habeeb-Ullah Muhammad, Mayor

SIGNATURE ON FILE

By: Jonathan Kennedy II (Seal)
Jonathan Kennedy II, Council President